We are not pursuing nuclear weapons

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Every day, the whole world is becoming increasingly dependent on nuclear energy. Sooner or later, we too will need peaceful nuclear energy. Today, if we do not think about this and do not pursue this, it will be too late tomorrow and our hands will be empty. When the world is ahead in all aspects of this matter, it will be difficult for us to move forward and progress that day.

Thus, you see with what tyranny the enemy front is focusing on the issue of our nuclear energy. They impose sanctions because of our nuclear energy while they know it is for peaceful purposes. Now they say that Iran is this far away from producing a nuclear bomb. These are nonsensical, meaningless remarks. They themselves know that We are not pursuing this and **we are not pursuing nuclear weapons.** We are pursuing the peaceful use of nuclear energy. They understand and realize this. They do not want the Iranian nation to achieve this great, significant scientific progress.

They are putting pressure on us because the nation will need this tomorrow and they do not want this movement to continue.